ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Provided is a positive photosensitive resin composition comprising (A) a polymer which has alicyclic hydrocarbon skeletons and decomposes under the action of an acid to be rendered soluble in alkali, (B) a compound which generates an acid upon irradiation with actinic rays, (C) a nitrogencontaining basic compound, (D) at least one of a fluorine-containing surfactant and a silicon-containing surfactant and (E) a solvent. The composition can exhibit better characteristics when the solvent (E) is a combination of specified solvents.